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Applicant : Gerald Hofer
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P.O. Box 1450
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PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated August 17, 2004, be extended for one month to and including December 17, 2004.

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Respectfully submitted,

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